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Press Release

USAID ADMINISTRATOR ARRIVES TOMORROW

DHAKA, NOVEMBER 19 -- Director of U.S. Foreign Assistance and Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) Henrietta H. Fore arrives Tuesday, November 20 for a 24 hour visit to Bangladesh. During her stay, she will observe first hand the devastation caused by cyclone Sidr and observe relief assistance by the U.S. government-funded partner organizations. She will meet with senior government officials to discuss how the United States can continue to assist Bangladesh in this time of need. She will also present 35 metric tons of non-food relief assistance supplies such as shelter vinyls, hygiene kits, jerricans and blankets worth \$250,000.00 USD.

Ms. Fore was confirmed by the U.S. Senate as the first female administrator of USAID on November 13.

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